

NWSWD BLUE BIN RECYCLING GUIDE

ACCEPTED MATERIALS

Remember the Rule of 2 minimum size
= at least 2" of any 2 dimensions



**Printing & Writing Paper, Mail,
Phone Books, Newspapers,
Magazines & Catalogs**



**Aluminum/Steel
/Tin Cans & Foil**



Boxboard



**Plastic Bottles, Tubs
& Jugs**



**Corrugated
Cardboard & Paper
Bags**



**Clamshells &
Food Trays
No Black**



**Glass, Food &
Beverage
Bottles & Jars**

NOT ACCEPTED MATERIALS



**NO Paper Plates,
Cups or Napkins**



**NO Household
Items or Toys**



**NO Styrofoam
Cups**



NO Drink Boxes



**NO Filmy
Plastic (Bags)**



**NO Milk or
Juice Cartons**

ABOUT ACCEPTED MATERIALS

Glass Bottles & Jars

- Rinse clean, labels OK
- Food & beverage containers only
- No dishes, windows, or ceramic

Aluminum/Steel/Tin Cans & Foil

- Rinse clean, labels OK
- No full or partially full containers

Rigid Plastic Containers & Packaging Labeled #1 Through #7

- Rinse clean, labels OK
- Bottles, jugs, tubs, trays, clamshell food containers, and lids over 2" in diameter
- No Styrofoam, filmy plastic (such as bags), biodegradable plastic (PLA), pill bottles, or non-container/packaging items

Paper

- White and colored paper, newspaper, catalogs, brochures, soft-cover books, window envelopes, etc.
- Boxboard (dry-food boxes, paper egg cartons, beer/soda carrier, toilet paper cores, etc.)
- Corrugated cardboard and paper bags
- Must be clean, dry, and flattened
- Staples, tape and labels OK
- remove non-paper enclosures

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